Davis cracks whip over board

LIVERMORE — "Jim Davis is back."

That was how one faithful school-board watcher explained it.

In spite of an immense agenda, the Livermore Unified School District board moved through all 24 items by 11:30 p.m., completing their business without having to continue the meeting into another night.

They did, however, hold over some closed personnel discussion from Tuesday to Wednesday night.

Jim Davis is the school board president who has built himself a reputation, since taking charge this summer, for keeping sessions clipping along. Yet he doesn't let the board go to the other extreme and rubber-stamp all proposals without discussion.

A safety engineer for the Lawrence Berkeley Lab, Davis had been absent from most of the late-fall meetings following an accident at the Lab's Nevada nuclear test site.

Tuesday night's meeting featured a decision by the school board to continue their freshman sports program in spite of an East Bay Athletic League vote to drop the ninth-grade program to save money. Bill Robison, a local parent who has been heading a move to save frosh sports, was on hand with a 1,000-signature petition.

Trustees also approved four sets of policies and regulations which will be posted and discussed before becoming district law.

A length of school day policy which has been kicked around since last spring was approved after the board studied evidence of widespread after-school participation in extracurricular activities which could be affected if the school day were too long.

According to the survey, almost 10,000 junior and senior high students are enjoying the after-school clubs and sports provided by the district.

With that in mind, the board approved for first reading a policy that sets:

— A three-hour kindergarten day including recess.

— A four-hour average day for grades 1-3, not counting lunch or recess, with any one day at least 170 minutes long.

— A five-hour day in fifth grade, not counting recess and lunch.

— A four and a half-hour junior high day, including homeroom period, not counting passing time between periods or lunch.

— A four hour and 20-minute senior high day, including homeroom, excluding brunch, passing time and lunch.

Another pair of policies, up for revision, concern the district's "open enrollment" philosophy.

The new wording makes it clear that students are expected to attend school in their neighborhoods but may take a crack at getting into another school.

The policies mostly concern Granada and Livermore High, since both schools are quite full and parents who try to get their children into Livermore

(See Davis, page 2.)

Jim Davis

the PLEASANTON Times

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Weather

Increasing cloudiness in the valley with rain likely today. Chance of few showers tonight becoming mostly fair Saturday. Little temperature change. Lows in the 30s to low 40s. Highs in the mid 50s to low 60s. Winds variable to 15 mph.

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Chou En-Lai, first in line at foreground, stands next to tall General George C. Marshall, with Mao Tse-tung at the end of the line. This picture was taken in Yenan, China, March, 1946, by Bob Whitney of Dublin while he was a pilot with the Marshall Missions which covered China.

He first saw Chou in '46

Bob Whitney's recollections of China are not as vague as most 30-year-old memories.

The veteran World War II pilot, who took the above photograph of Chou En lai while flying the Marshall Missions after the war, "kind of liked it, all in all."

He was never introduced to the Chinese premier, who died yesterday of cancer, and at first wasn't sure Chou would be in the picture.

Whitney flew Gen. George C. Marshall between the warring Communists and Nationalists in an effort to end the post World War II civil war.

Marshall's efforts failed and Mao Tse-tung, far right in the line posing for photographers on the Yenan airstrip, ran Generalisimo Chiang Kai-shek off the mainland and onto Taiwan.

"There was plenty of poverty," Witney recalls. The husband of Times staff reporter Reina Whitney flew supplies "across the hump" from Burma to central China during the war, and later flew the Marshall Mission from its base in Shanghai.

Chou's death is not expected to affect efforts to improve American relations with the Chinese government in Peking. He was the initiator of improved relations with the U.S., but the move for friendlier contacts expanded beyond his personal efforts.

He was absent from Chinese political life for the past 15 months, and in effect had been replaced by deputy premier Teng Hsiao-ping. Teng is expected to ascend to Chou's post.

He had been filling Chou's role in the day-to-day operations of China for the past year, and his position has been fully supported by party chairman Mao.

Teng is considered an advocate of friendlier relations with the United States.

— by Ron Rodriguez

Close Santos road Crowle advises

PLEASANTON — Abandonment of the Santos Ranch Road has been recommended by Alameda County Public Works Director Herbert Crowle.

Crowle made the recommendation to the board of supervisors in a written report submitted to them Tuesday. The supervisors did not discuss the issue or take action on it at the meeting Tuesday.

Crowle also recommended that the county install a permanently lockable gate which would stop access to Santos Ranch Road for everyone except property owners who need the road for access to their properties. The property owners would have keys to the gate's lock.

Procedures for abandoning the road should begin immediately after the locked gate is installed, said Crowle.

The locked gate and abandonment of the road also would have to be approved by the City of Hayward which has jurisdiction over the top half-mile of the one mile road. Hayward annexed a long, narrow portion of the Pleasanton Ridge in 1967 when owners of the Santos Ranch thought they would develop 2,000 acres residentially at a low density.

Crowle issued his report after Supervisor John Murphy of Pleasanton requested information about the possibility of closing the road. Murphy made his request last month after receiving letters from Pleasanton Councilman Roger McLain and Pleasanton resident Carolyn Hunt who urged that the road be closed.

McLain said in his letter that the steep hill has been the cause of auto crash injuries, as testified by an accident at the road's intersection with Foothill Road last month.

Thomas Pishos and Sheldon Berz, both property owners living in the vicinity of Santos Ranch Road and Foothill Road, also wrote Crowle last month requesting a locked gate on the road.

Crowle consulted Alameda County Sheriff Thoma Houchins, Hayward City Manager William Hanley, and Alameda County Field Services Chief John Moore about the road and all recommeneded installation of the locked gate.

The board of supervisors ordered Santos Ranch Road closed to the public in Sept., 1966, while still keeping access for emergency and utility service vehicles and "others who could show essential travel thereon," said Crowle.

But posting signs and barriers saying the road was closed to the public "has not been fully effective in stopping unauthorized use of the road," said Crowle.

The proposal to install a locked gate and then abandon the road as a public road will be referred to the City of Hayward for approval. Crowle's report is on the Pleasanton City Council's agenda for Monday night.

— by Ron McNicoll

Grossman proposes settlement

PLEASANTON — Attorney Alan Grossman has offered the city a new proposal to settle Edward Schlies's law suit over 11 sewer connections for a medical building on Santa Rita Road.

Grossman is suggesteing that the city remove the Schlies property from the Valley Community Services District sewer plant boundaries and put it into the Sunol treatment plant boundaries. The city and the developers who signed the 1972 sewer agreement would have to amend that agreement to to make the proposed sewer connection switch, said Grossman.

Schlies claims that he was told by the city that he is supposed to sewer to the Sunol plant. He expected to get sewer connections in April, 1975, when connections became available in the Sunol plant. But then he learned his property is in the VCSD sewer area. He claims that a letter sent him by Mayor Ed Kinney mistakenly informed him that his property is in the Sunol sewer area.

Schlies claims he is being damaged economically because he must remain on a $900 a month holding tank without the connections. Grossman has threatened to try to break the 1972 agreement in court if the city does not grant Schlies the 11 connections.

The city's position is that Schlies would have been on a holding tank no matter which sewer area he is in.

Harris pushes for Zone 7 move to valley

The board of directors of Zone 7 is investigating the possibility of moving its 16-person staff from the Alameda County offices in Hayward to the valley.

Zone president David Harris is pushing hard for the shift which he said would enable the zone "to do a better job for local people."

"We are a big operation now, and being located in Hayward we are not able to be as responsive or accessible to local people as we would like," Harris said.

Zone 7 is one of 10 districts of the Alameda County Flood Control and Water Conservation District.

Zone 7 accounts for approximately 50 per cent of the land area and 10 per cent of the population in the county. Its budget is 30 per cent of the total budgets for the ten districts.

In addition, the Zone 7 is the only district which has its own board of directors, the other districts being governed by the Board of Supervisors.

Harris said the smaller size of the zone staff in past years, and the economic savings of keeping all county personnel in one location formed the justification for keeping the zone staff in Hayward.

"Now, while we may be saving pennies, we are losing on-the-spot control. We can't be as flexible to changing demands," said Harris. He said access to the zone staff is the right of local citizens.

Robert Pearson, appointed by Harris to oversee the proposed move, was reluctant to comments on negotiations between the zone and Alameda County Public Works Director Herb Kroll.

He said Kroll's input was necessary before details of the move are confirmed. Flood control, Pearson said, is only one of the areas which come under Kroll's department.

"We could hire our own staff, since we're under no obligation to use county personnel," said Pearson, but added he hoped a mutual satisfactory arrangement could be worked out with Kroll.

"I believe some sort of move is desirable," said Pearson, "but the exact nature of the move still is being debated."

He pointed out that the zone board is not in full agreement on the proposal.

"We may decide to make a token move, bringing only the manager into the valley. Or, we could move all 16 staff members," Pearson said.

Harris said he favored a transfer of engineering, as well as administrative, personnel.

Pearson said he "assumed some sort of move" will be accomplished by late this summer or early next fall.

Murray gears for $1 million bond election

DUBLIN — The Murray School District anticipates selling $600,000 of the $1 million it hopes to be authorized to sell at the March 2 election.

And bond committee members present Wednesday night also learned the tax rate, assuming a two-thirds vote, could go up anywhere from 4 to 18 cents per $100 assessed valuation. The district presently has bonds tht will be retired over the next few years, which will have the affect of lessening the tax rate when the figure from a successful March election becomes known.

The meeting at Frederiksen School brought out 28 persons, including several district administrators and principals. Fifty-five invitations had been sent out to a broad-based group throughout the Murray district.

The $1 million bond will go to completing the seventh-eighth grade school planned for the Dolan site in Silvergate.

This facility was originally planned for a Stoneson site south of Highway 580, then a Foothill site. Superintendent Donald Williams said the school was needed six years ago. Goal is to open it in January, 1977, with approximately 625 students now housed at Donlon, Lydiksen, Nielsen and Dublin.

Should the bond fail (Murray has had six bond or revenue measures in the last eight years), Murray would be left with the funds to build just half a school on the Dolan site.

The $3 million price tag calls for a 28½-acre school with six hexagonal interlocking components, inner division of space through walls and, in the upper component, locker rooms, gym, lunch rooms and music rooms.

Williams, though saying the school has been needed for six years, noted the district has lost approximately 500 enrollment since its peak in 1972.

Should the bond fail to get a two-thirds "yes" plurality, it could conceivably be put before the electorate again in June and November.

Leading various committee discussions Wednesday were Les Schmidt, speakers bureau; Dr. Williams, precinct campaign; Phillip Chubb, publicity, and Heinz Gewing, general planning.

At the next meeting of the bond committee, slated for Thursday, Jan. 22 at Frederiksen, John McManus from the State Office of Local Assistance will speak on the state school building program. The public is invited to attend.

Proxy votes at issue

Reformers seek KQED election rejection

Alexander Glass of Pleasanton lost the KQED board election by a whopping margin, but there is still a chance he will turn around the results.

That was the word yesterday from Lawrence Hall, a Lawrence Livermore Laboratory physicist who is a leader in the Save KQED reform group which sponsored Glass and seven other KQED board of directors reform candidates.

Glass had a little over 3,000 votes according to the television station's announcment of the vote tally. But the station did not count the ballots of 10,500 proxies gathered by the KQED reformers.

A superior court judge has issued an order against counting the proxy ballots, but the issue is still unsettled in court. If the judge rules in favor of the reformers and allows count of the proxy ballots, Glass would have more than 14,000 votes, said Hall.

Some 14,000 votes still would not be enough votes to put Glass into the winners' circle in itself, said Hall. But there was another factor involved in management's alleged loading of theelection against the reformers, said Hall.

Management got a court order preventing the reformers from using a discarded list of KQED subcribers. Hall is confident that if the reformers had not been halted in using the list, they would have convinced enough KQED members to vote in the reform slate. With all this in mind, the reformers have asked their attorneys, Marvin and Faye Stender, to ask the judge to void the election, which closed Dec. 19, and set a new election.

"If there is a new election, I know Glass will be elected overwhelmingly," said Hall.

The reformers also asked their attorneys the tell the judge about how the station's management allegedly interfered in the election.

"At the beginning of December (immediately prior to the voting) the station put people on overtime and took portable cameras from Newsroom for four days to do spots telling listeners about the election," said Hall. That may sound democratic, but since only the board-nominated candidates were on the ballot, the get-out-the-vote drive worked to their favor and against the reformers, who were not allowed to have access to the subscribers list to publicize their name or their position on the issues, said Hall.

Station management claimed it was blocking the access to the subscribers' list "temporarily," but since the election has closed, temporary really meant permanently, said Hall.

The reformers intend to fight on. They will continue their lititgation to, in their view, open up the station to better access from subscribers. They also intend to continue publicizing their case in the media.

The station management has defended exclusion of the reformers' advertising from the subscribers' magazine Focus on grounds that the first amendment allows the ban, provided the ban applies to all equally. Hall thinks management is warping the intention of the first amendment and it is a good indicator of the closed kind of atmosphere they want in running the station.

Hall took exception to a statement which station manager William Osterhaus made in The Times late in December. Osterhaus said that he knew of one reform slate candidate who had contact only once with the reformers and who was unaware of a mailing which said that everyone on the slate agrees to support the reform program. "That simply isn't true," said Hall.

"I talked to every one of the candidates myself and they all agreed with the position of the reform group. I had that specifically in mind when I talked to them," said Hall.

— by Ron McNicoll

Livermore school district

Trustees OK staff change

LIVERMORE — Livermore Unified School District trustees have accepted the resignations of two employes and have hired two others.

At their Tuesday night meeting, the board accepted the resignations of Mrs. Norma Hill, Granada High math teacher, effective Jan. 23; and Mrs Elaine Pittman, playground supervisor at Arroyo Mocho, effective Dec. 19.

They hired Mrs. Peggy Harding, special education teacher aide at Emme C. Smith School, effective Dec. 18; and Mrs. Judith Welsh, replacement teacher aide at Smith, effective Jan. 5.

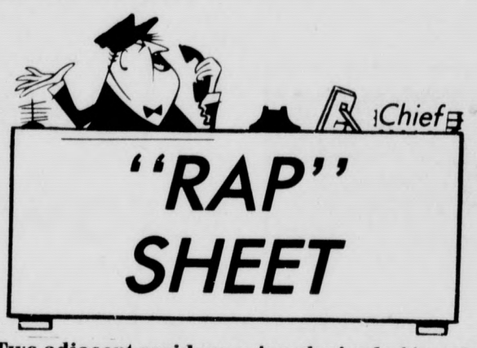
The board also appointed the Alameda County Counsel's office to defend the district in a lawsuit recently filed by Cal Guido, president of the California School Employes Association.

The suit in behalf of the district's 400 non-certificated employes (such as secretaries and custodians) alleges that they were entitled to more of a raise last year than they received.

School improvements at Granada High and Mendenhall Intermediate School took a few steps ahead when the board accepted the work done on Granada High's gymnasium floor, which had been damaged by flooding. The new $36,000 floor was completed Oct. 14.

Also, the board approved calling for bids for a dust collection system to be installed in the Mendenhall wood shop as part of the school improvements authorized under last year's building election.

The board approved an eight-page listing of technical arts equipment bid specifications for Granada High's technical arts department. Some of the items the district will buy are: A.B. Dick offset duplicator; Challenge paper drill; A.B. Dick folding machine; A.B. Dick automatic collator; Swingline heavy duty electric stapler; Nu-Arc metal plate maker; three El Nikkor enlarging lenses of different sizes; a Gra Lab darkroom timer; a Technal dry mount press; a Beseler enlarger; five Honeywell Pentax Spotmatic cameras with 1.4 lenses; and other items.



Two adjacent residences burglarized of jewelry

LIVERMORE — Burglars hit two residences on South M Street Wednesday and escaped with nearly $750 in jewelry and other items, police said yesterday.

Thieves entered unlocked windows of both units and concentrated their efforts on expensive jewelry, police reported.

Mavis Patricia Irvine said thieves had taken approximately $295 in bracelets and necklaces. Her neighbor, Anita Gail Wing, said $430 of valuables including watches, bracelets and turquoise baubles were stolen.

Police found two different sets of footprints outside the window of Wing's residence and are investigating.

Two persons injured in Foothill Road accident

PLEASANTON — Two persons sustained minor injuries in a single-car accident when their car went out of control and hit a tree on Foothill Road Tuesday morning.

Jon Vinton Geppert and Bruce Donaldson, both of Pleasanton, were treated and released from Valley Memorial Hospital following the accident.

Geppert, the driver, told police he was rounding a corner when his car drifted onto loose gravel on the shoulder and slid into a tree causing major damage to the car's right side.

No citations were issued.

Burglars steal $2,000 stamp collection

LIVERMORE — A stamp collection valued at $2,000 was taken from a Locust Avenue residence while the owner was recuperating from an illness at Valley Memorial Hospital Tuesday.

Donald Harvey Taylor told police thieves entered his residence and stole several items including the collection, composed of European stamps.

Police have no suspects in the case.

Santa Rita loses one and captures two

PLEASANTON — Santa Rita Jail came out ahead Wednesday as one of six escapees from the rehabilitation center was captured shortly before another man escaped from a work detail but was later recaptured.

Sheriff's Deputies, assisted by Oakland Police, arrested Doyle Gray, 21, of Oakland who escaped with six other inmates Tuesday from the facility.

About 3 p.m. Wednesday, inmate Dwayne Williams walked away from a job detail at the jail. He was captured an hour later on Dougherty Road near Interstate 580.

Pilfering pirate penetrates patrolcar, procures pistol

LIVERMORE — Burglars broke into a locked Sheriff's Dept. patrol car while it was parked outside Granada Bowl and stole a loaded 9mm automatic pistol and 15 rounds of ammunition valued at $190.

—by Bill Cauble

Davis cracks whip

From page one

High because of the more structured program are often frustrated.

The proposed revision makes it clear: "At the high school level, students entering the ninth grade or students NEW to the district prior to school beginning in the fall may request attendance at a high school other than the one in their area of attendance providing that space is available."

Eighth-graders who want to go to one school or the other next fall must wait until the district announces a date on which requests will be accepted in the spring.

All requests will be logged according to the date and hour received in the Office of Pupil Services (currently headed by Dick Jenkins.)

First-come, first-served is the rule for who gets into their chosen school and who doesn't.

The only exceptions are special education students, whose requests will be honored "provided space is available," and students who say they are after a certain curriculum not available at both high schools — agriculture classes at Livermore High, for example.

Students who want to change schools in mid-stream have to go through a more complicated process of transferring. Here, power also rests with Pupil Services chief Dick Jenkins to mediate changes occurring in elementary school or junior high and to serve on the high-school-level District Transfer Committee.

The new board policies also make it specific that nobody is eligible for busing just because he or she is attending a school out of the local neighborhood.

Another section of the "Admissions" regulation (B.R. 5120) states that a child who hasn't spent a full year in a Californian public-school kindergarten can't start first grade in Livermore unless she/he is in the top 3 per cent in general mental ability and is physically and socially as advanced as she/he is mentally.

School lunch menus

Here are the lunch menus for Jan. 12-16 for the Pleasanton and Sunol Glen school districts:

PLEASANTON

MONDAY — Gourmet hot dog on a bun with mustard, french fries, buttered carrots, apple crisp with cheese, chocolate milk.

TUESDAY — Cheeseburger, lettuce and pickle cup, hot buttered vegetable, peach slices, homemade cookie, milk.

WEDNESDAY — Buck Rogers' bake, satellite green beans, crater vegetable sticks, 2001 biscuit, far-out freeze, martian milk.

THURSDAY — Manager's choice.

FRIDAY — Pizza with meat and cheese, circus salad, green beans, chocolate cake, milk.

SUNOL GLEN

MONDAY — Creamed chicken over mashed potatoes, buttered vegetable, apple wedges, cookie, milk.

TUESDAY — Taco casserole, buttered vegetable, tossed salad, cherry cobbler, milk.

WEDNESDAY — Cook's choice.

THURSDAY — Pigs in blanket, tater tots, buttered vegetable, orange wedges, milk.

FRIDAY — Chili beans, buttered vegetable, fruit salad, french rolls, milk.

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SR residents slate meeting

SAN RAMON — A spokesperson for the Alcosta Medical Center will address the regular meeting of the San Ramon Homeowners Association tonight to inform the community of the Center's many services.

Members of the community are urged to attend tonight's meeting beginning at 7:30 p.m. at Neil Armstrong School, 2849 Calais Drive in San Ramon.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING BY ALAMEDA COUNTY ZONING ADMINISTRATOR

LESLIE P. BUSICK (OWNER) AND ALVIN WHITAKER dba DIABLO ENGINE AND MACHINE (LESSEE), VARIANCE V-6903

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Alameda County Zoning Administrator will hold a PUBLIC HEARING on the following matter:

VARIANCE V-6903, APPLICATION OF LESLIE P. BUSICK (OWNER) AND ALVIN WHITAKER dba DIABLO ENGINE AND MACHINE (LESSEE), for retention of a freestanding sign where otherwise not permitted, in an M-1 (Light Industrial) District, located at 6355 Scarlett Court, north side, 400' east of the intersection with Dougherty Road, Dublin, Assessor's No. 941-550-15-6, as shown on a map on file with this Department.

Said PUBLIC HEARING will be held at the hour of 1:30 p.m. on WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 21, 1976, in the County of Alameda Public Works Building, Auditorium, 399 Elmhurst Street, Hayward, California, at which time and place any and all persons interested therein may appear and be heard.

RICHARD P. FLYNN
ZONING ADMINISTRATOR
ALAMEDA COUNTY
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Art at work

Cynthia Ostle, prominent valley artisan, will conduct a new class in non-loom weaving Monday mornings at the Pleasanton Cultural Arts Center beginning Jan. 19. Brochures outlining winter quarter classes sponsored by the Pleasanton Recreation Department are now available.

Child, adult recreation

Class lists offered

PLEASANTON — The city's new recreation department winter class brochure is available at the department, 200 Bernal Avenue, or at the county library on Black Avenue near Santa Rita Road.

Children's classes are being offered in pre-school, dance, pottery, oil painting, macrame, guitar, baton, self-improvement for girls, tumbling, gymnastics, judo and tennis.

Adult classes are offered in ceramics, stain and lead glass, beginning and intermediate life drawing, oil painting, watercolor, creative stitchery, macrame, fabric and fiber art workshop, non-loom weaving, cake decoration, bridge, tap dance, yoga, ladies' slim-trim, dog obedience, puppy training, and socialization, and tennis.

People may register at the recreation department or mail in forms available in the brochures. For more information regarding times, dates, and fees, call 846-3202, extension 215, or pick up a brochure.

Seek state funds

BART to hire aides

By RICK VOGT
Lesher News Bureau

OAKLAND — Applying the adage "it takes money to make money," rapid transit directors have okayed hiring two Sacramento lobbyists.

The duo hired by Bay Area Rapid Transit directors will try to help the financially depleted system convince state legislators that additional tax money should be given BART.

Lobbyists Phillip H. Schott and Frank J. Burns Jr. will be paid $2,000 monthly for their part-time efforts, plus expenses of up to $200 per month.

BART directors unanimously voted to approve hiring the two at the request of General Manager Frank Herringer.

Herringer explained that the "legislative advocates" will propose bills aimed at solving BART's financial crisis and also brief transit officials on strategy to use in dealing with the Legislature.

"I personally doubt BART needs a lobbyist on a permanent basis, but we'll need help in the next nine months in getting some unpopular legislation through the Legislature," Herringer told directors.

Herringer said he expects the two men to attend a special BART Ways and Means Committee meeting Jan. 14, at which time an effort will be made to work on a solution to the money crisis.

The committee will also consider recommendations regarding BART's money problems offered by A. Alan Post, state Legislative Analyst.

BART wants the state to continue a half-cent sales tax in Contra Costa, Alameda and San Francisco counties and approve a one per cent "in-lieu" registration fee on vehicles in the three counties.

Beratlis will build on Main

PLEASANTON — A January start on a downtown office and retail building has been announced by Chris Beratlis, local realtor and former city councilman.

Beratlis said 3850 square feet of retail and office space will be available for lease in the structure which will occupy the vacant lot between the Starting Gate and the existing Beratlis Real Estate offices.

All traffic access will be off of Angela Street with parking provided for 41 vehicles. Beratlis expects completion of the building in March or April.

The facades of the two existing structures now occupied by his realty office, Bellina's Pizzeria and Koopman's Linoleum will all be renovated.

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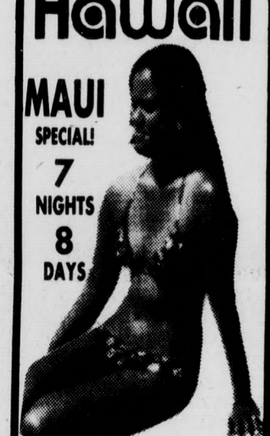

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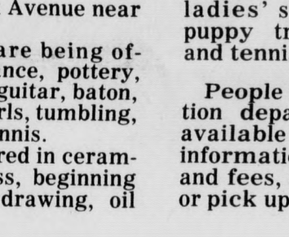

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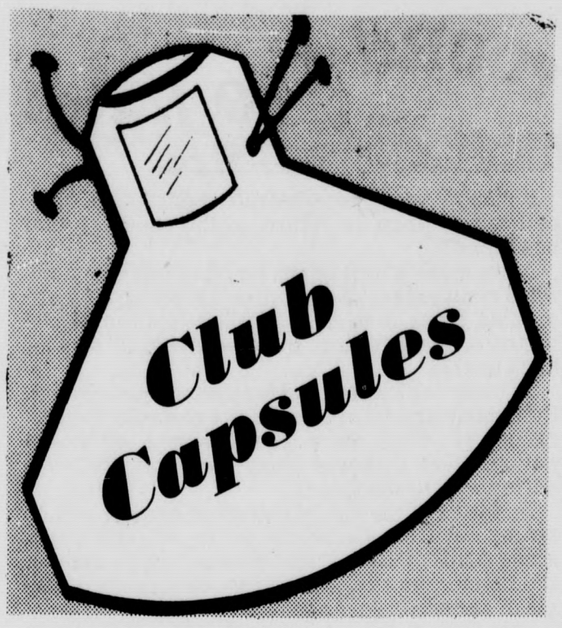


Twin Mothers

New officers of the Twin Valley Mothers of Twins club will be installed Saturday, Jan 10 at the Tail Winds Restaurant in Livermore.

New president is Mrs. Russell Howell of Pleasanton who has served as vice-president, ways and means chairman, and organizer of parades for twins. She is the mother of three-year-old twins Steven and Scott, and eight-year-old Shelly. Outgoing president is Jan Kindade of Pleasanton who will assume responsibility for the club's bulletin.

Mrs. Howell's new slate includes Dorothea McDonald of Alamo, vice-president; Leslie Nadig of Dublin, secretary; and Rini Schalke of San Ramon, treasurer. Jill Guest was re-elected corresponding secretary for a second year. Joan Gaster will be state representative for Northern California clubs.

The Mother of Twins club is open to all mothers of multiple birth children in the Amador-Livermore valley. Mdeting are held the second Monday of each month at 8 p.m. at the Kaiser Research Center, lower level cafeteria, in Pleasanton.

Xi Theta

Xi Theta Theta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will gather at the home of Virginia Freie the evening of Tuesday, Jan. 13 with Ann Jeffers as co-hostess.

The cultural program "Vive La Differance" will be presented by Pam Perkins with Guest Speaker Sharon Anderson of the League of Women Voters Also on the agenda is discussion of the upcoming Valentine Ball set Feb. 7 at Shannon Community Center in Dublin.

The announcement of the chapter's Valentine Queen Pam Perkins was revealed at the home of Marilyn Carstensen during the holiday progressive dinner in December.

V.F.W.

The Livermore V.F.W. Ladies Auxiliary will finalize plans for a February birthday dinner at a meeting Wednesday, Jan. 14 at the Veterans Memorial Building in Livermore.

Also on the agenda are discussion of the upcoming State Attorney's Forum set March 9 at the Veterans Memorial Building, as well as formation of a committee to organize and conduct the V.F.W. Bicentennial celebration slated in April.

Jean Rutsen assisted by Jan Picardi will serve refreshments, with games and prizes following the meeting.

Engineers' Wives

A weaving demonstration by Wilma Myers will highlight the Jan. 14 meeting of the Engineers' Wives Auxiliary at the home of Mrs. Elsie Amrstrong, 826 Adams Ave.

The 7:30 p.m. meeting will also feature a white elephant sale.

ABWA

"Affirmative Action of Women" will be the topic of John Conrad, manager and vice-president of Crocker National Bank of Livermore, when he addresses Las Positas Chapter of the American Business Women's Association Tuesday, Jan. 13.

The dinner meeting begins at 7 p.m. at the Rancher Restaurant in Livermore. Mrs. Rae Munro will be the vocational speaker.

Monte Carlo bonus

Popular Portrait Artist John Pena will make a guest appearance at the Monte Carlo Night set tonight at Castlewood Country Club on behalf of Glen Shafto, a candidate for the title of 'king' in the Mardi Gras fund-raising contest sponsored by the Pleasanton Junior Women's Club. Pena has donated his services and will execute portraits of party-goers, the fee for which goes into Candidate's Shafto's coffer. Monte Carlo gaming and dancing swings from 7:30 p.m to 1:30 a.m. Admission is $3 per person.

PWC

The Pleasanton Women's Club convenes at the clubhouse Tuesday, Jan. 13 at 11 a.m.

Holly Graham of Merle Norma Cosmetics will offer a demonstration, and members will bring a sandwich, with dessert and coffee provided.

Virginia Page lecture

In a lecture on current events, Commentator Virginia Page will answer the question "Madagascar: What Next?" Thursday, Jan. 15 at the Pleasanton Women's Clubhouse.

She will also review a selection of fiction and non-fiction, including the books "Flowers on an Iron Tree," "Sunflower Splendor," "Against Our Will," and "Better Than Ever."

Tickets for the 10:30 a.m. lecture will be sold at the door.

Livermore Seniors

The Livermore Senior Citizens Club will visit Chinatown and the Hyatt-Regency Hotel in San Francisco Thursday, Jan. 22. Fare is $3 per person forthe bus which departs at 9 a.m. andreturns at 3 p.m. to the Livermore Recreation Center. Individuals will be responsible for lunch. For reservations contact Ruth Stewart at 455-1505.

The club's card party is set Friday, Jan. 16 at 1:30 p.m. hosted by Thelma Baintar and Selmar Kilhe at the Livermore Recreation Center. Donation for play is 50 cents which includes refreshments and table prizes.

ACAMR

Thw Twin Valley Chapter of ACAMR (Alameda County Association for the Mentally Retarded) convenes at 8 p.m. Monday, Jan. 12 at the Vinwood Lodge in Livermore (formerly the Crestwood Lodge).

ACAMR Executive Director Earl Cruzer and six of his staff will explain how the association works, introduce themselves and answer questions.

For more information contact Steve Pinney, president, at 846-5944.

Italian

The East Bay District Council of the Italian Catholic Federation will install officers of the 11 Eastbay branches Sunday, Jan. 18 at the Colombo Club hall, 5321 Claremont Ave., Oakland.

The ceremony is set at 4 p.m. to be followed by a banquet at 6 p.m. at which Vice-president David Botts will outline the federation program Toastmaster will be the Rev. John Bosch, chaplain of Branch 91.

Cost of the banquet is $6 for adults and $4 for children. All branch presidents must submit reservations no later than Jan. 14 to Victoria Accatino at 357-6887.

Lithophiles

The Lithophiles Gem and Mineral Club will meet Thursday, Jan. 15 at 7:30 p.m. in the Recreation Center, 8th and H Streets, Livermore.

Bring your slides for the annual showing of slides from members' field trips last year.

Elections will be held at the Jan. 15 meeting. Dues are due in January: $10 per family, $8 per couple, $5 per adult, $2.50 per junior over 12.

V.I.P.'s

New officers for the Pleasanton V.I.P. senior citizen club will be installed Monday, Jan. 12 at noon at the Veterans Memorial Building in Pleasanton. Light refreshments and entertainment will be provided.

This year a membership card will be issued for all members at $1 per person, available to all senior citizens of Pleasanton. Cards will be available after the Jan. 12 meeting.

LBP

Dorothy Hock, legislative chairman, will host the Jan. 14 meeting of the Livermore Business and Professional Women's Club at her Livermore home, 3953 Santa Clara Way.

Agenda for the 7:30 p.m. meeting includes discussion of the upcoming Bay-Valley District Winter Conference in at Sonora set Jan 24-25.

Valley church news reported

Pro Life

PLEASANTON - January 22, 1973, the U. S. Supreme Court in a 7 to 2 decision ruled that no state may forbid women from having abortions during the first six months of pregnancy. Only in the last three months may any state (if it wishes) legislate restrictions. Since this ruling the New York Times has estimated that there will be 1.6 million abotions per year in the U.S.

Prior to the beginning and following the end of all the masses this Saturday and Sunday. Jan. 10 and 11, members of the John C. Mapes Council will be on hand with petitions to sign. The members of the Knights of Columbus Council are concerned about this wanton destruction of Life and plan to send the following simple statement to the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States, "Let the Unborn Live." They ask you to remember — All that is necessary for the triumph of evil is for good men to do nothing!

Methodist

DUBLIN - Sunday school and Sunday worship begin at 8:45 a.m. at the Valley United Methodist Church which meets weekly at the Camp Parks Chapel. Classes include the nursery school age through eigth grade.

The Rev. Wayne Kessel will give the sermon "Gold, Frankincense and Me." Coffee and fellowship time follows the service.

The week's activites start with a meeting of the MYF group at the chapel Sunday evening at 7:30; a Bible class meeting at the home of Mrs. Henry Laskey at 7:30 Monday evening; A Council and Administrative Board meeting at the chapel at the same time Tuesday closing with a meeting for the Choir and adults and youth at 7 on Wednesday in the chapel followed by an adult bible study at 8 p.m.

Baha'i

PLEASANTON - Ron Wyant of Coarsegold, Calif , will be the featured speaker at the regular Sat. night public meeting sponsored by the Baha'i's of Pleasanton.

The topic will be"The Unity of Mankind." The meeting will be at the community room of Franklin Savings at 8 p.m. Call846-7946, or 846-8839 for further information.

Bethany

LIVERMORE - "Jesus Claims Eternal Existence," John 8:37-59 will be the topic for the sermon by Pastor Hubert Garland of Bethany Baptist Church at the 11 a.m. service this Sunday. Sunday School for all ages is at 9:45 a.m.

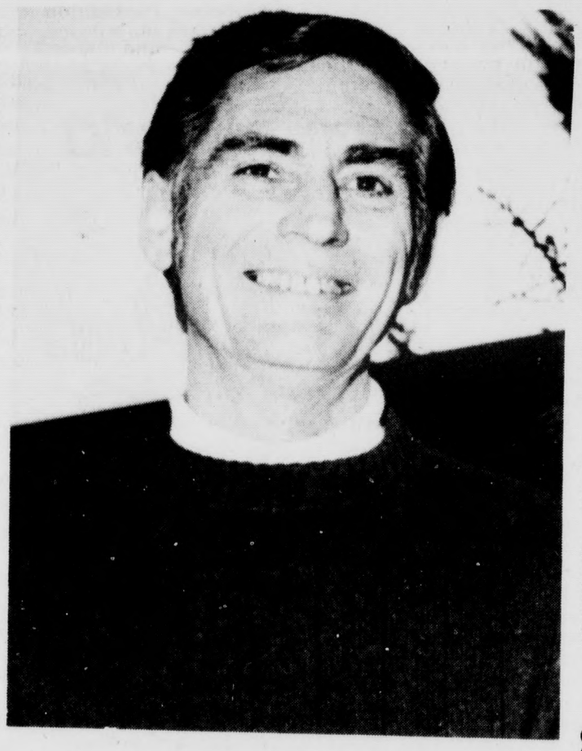
The 6:30 evening service will be from the book of Ephisians 5:22-33. "Walking in Submission and Obedience," is the title of the message.

Wednesday Bible study and prayer meeting is at 7 p.m. The youth also meet at this time on Wednesdays.

Nursery is provided at all services.

Beth Emek

LIVERMORE Congregation Beth Emek, 1886 College Ave, will hold a sabbath service honoring new and prospective members this Friday, Jan 9, at 8 p.m. Rabbi Morris Goldstein will officiate All are welcome to attend.



Novena chairman

Gene McKamey will speak at all the Masses at St. Augustine's Church, on Neal Street in Pleasanton, Sunday, on the upcoming Novena to Our Mother of Perpetual Help scheduled to begin Jan. 20 at 7:30 p.m. Gene will chairman the Novena which will have the distinction of being completely conducted by laymen. He will endeavor to explain to the congregation, Sunday, the historical significance of the novena devotions which date back to the time of the Apostles. It is a devotional prayer repeated for nine consecutive days or weeks for some special intention. The picture of our Mother of Perpetual Help is also of considerable historical significance. One legend even attributes it as having one of the Apostles, St. Luke, as the original artist. The original, now in St. Mary Major Church in Rome, is known to date back to the fourth century.

Shrine

Star of the West Shrine will honor supreme appointments, worthy high prestesses and watchmen of shepherds at its first 1976 meeting tonight (Jan. 9) at the Masonic Temple in Livermore.

W.O.S. and W.H.P. Mr. and Mrs George Sharp will preside at the 8 p.m. shrine.

An official visit from Supreme W.H.P. Leona I. Graves to a joint meeting of three local shrines is planned Jan. 31 at Alchor Shrine in Oakland. All officers will rehearse at Alchor Sunday, Jan. 25 at 2:30 p.m.

Preceding the joint meeting, a banquet will be held at 6 p.m. at $3.75 per person. Tickets are available from Helen Sharp.

Community

PLEASANTON - "God Gives His Name" will be the message shared by Pastor Leron Heath this Sunday at the Valley Community Church which meets in the multi-purpose room of the Amador Valley High School Worship service begins at 10 a.m. and Junior church at 10:30, with Bible classes for all ages at 11. You are asked to prepare for this by reviewing Exodus, chapters 1 to 3.

St. Clare's

PLEASANTON - St. Clare's new assistant minister, the Rev. Susan Bergmans, will begin a series of Thursday evening Bible classes on Jan. 23. The classes will be held at the church, 339 Rose Ave., at 7:30 p.m. Call 443-1145 for further information.

A service of Holy Communion from the Book of Common Prayer will be celebrated on Sunday at the 10 a.m. family service and also at 8 a.m. by the Rev. Wm. A. Smith. Nursery care is provided at the later service. and a coffee hour will follow.

Holy Cross

LIVERMORE - "The Expectation of God's Grace" is the theme of the message at the duplicate family worship services Sunday morning at Holy Cross Lutheran Church.

The Prayer Circle will meet at the parsonage Monday evening at 7:30. The initial meeting of the 1976 Church Council will be held Tuesday at 7:30 p.m.

Retreats

DUBLIN — St. Raymond's in Dublin invites all college-age students and young adults to take advantage of two retreats that are being offered by the Campus Ministry of Hayward.

The first one will be held Jan. 16 at the Campus Ministry Center, 25580 Campus Drive, Hayward from 4 p.m. to 1 a.m. The second one will be held Feb. 13, 14 and 15 at Camp Imelda. Reservations may be called into the Ministry office, 581-1970.

Methodist

PLEASANTON - "It's No Secret," is the title of Lynnewood United Methodist Church's Rev. J. Howard Acton's sermon for the first Sunday after Epiphany Day. It is based on Ephesians 3:1-12 Ephiphany celebrates that fact that the Good News is for everybody, not just a chosen few. The service begins at 10:40 a.m., following Sunday School with classes for all ages which begin at 9:30 a.m.

DEPRESSION ART "FOUND"

Public Offered 1937 U.S. Gov't Art Prints

WASHINGTON, D.C. (Special) - A series of rare coincidences has led to the historic discovery of several thousand sets of full color antique art prints that were "lost since 1937." They are now being offered to the American public.

ELEANOR ROOSEVELT

Back in 1937, immediately following the depression years, Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt and a select group of a dozen nationally prominent people formed a voluntary national committee for art appreciation to create an art program that would give the public a well-needed moral lift. It was the committee's decision to select the world's most famous paintings from the 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th, and 20th centuries - the best paintings of Matisse, Van Gogh, Gainsborough, Picasso, Gauguin, Titian, etc., and to reproduce them in full color as perfectly as humanly possible and make them available to the public at a price within the reach of nearly everyone.

ABANDONED IN 1937

For some unknown reason, after a quantity of these beautiful reproductions were made, the entire project was abandoned and this collection of perfect reproductions was stored in a Brooklyn warehouse, where they remained undisturbed since 1937.

The lost collection was "rediscovered" and leading lithographers and art critics agree that the subject matter and quality of detail and color reproduction is incredibly accurate. Over $100,000.00 had been spent to make finely engraved glass printing plates.

These authentic original 1937 prints are literally collectors' items and have been appraised by a member of the Antique Appraisal Assoc. of America, Inc. at $7.00 each print. Once they have been sold, there will be no more available. A truly excellent art "investment" that makes a fabulous gift.

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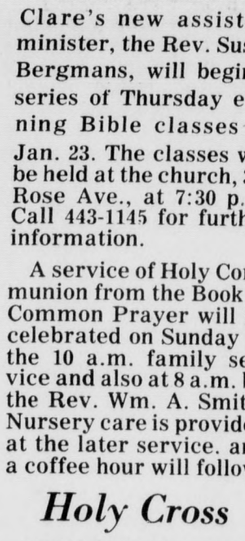

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The Times

Editorial and Feature Page

John B. Edmands, Editor and Publisher

Social concerns in suburbia

In Livermore the new thrust is toward a "Social Concerns Committee." In Pleasanton the "Community Concerns Committee" seeks broader powers, and responsibilities.

And on the county level there is that ongoing struggle to solve the problems of the racial minority, the female worker and the prisoner of whatever type.

But what about the troubled suburbanite? What special commission or branch of our local structure looks to the $18,000-a-year man who is on the brink of losing his wife, his children and his home?

The concept that "social problems" identify only with those of darker skin, lower income or even a particular gender is one of the great fantasies of our time. Certainly the inner city must respond to the tremendous crush of racial and poverty problems which are their lot. But there are needs just as peculiar to the suburbs, and the tragedy is no less severe, the need for our "concern" no less pressing.

We recall the local pastor who once ventured "People who think they leave their personal problems behind when they abandon the big city for the home in the suburbs are often sadly mistaken." Once the excitement of furnishing the new home, landscaping the yard and setting the drapes is over, the family that "just wasn't making it" in San Leandro can find that same challenge came with them, in the flight to this Valley.

There is evidence that divorce within our respective communities is now at a discouraging, even alarming rate. That "wonderful couple" down the street is now a split couple. Next you'll be hearing that "the girl is on drugs" and then "the oldest boy is into alcohol rather heavy."

These cases are not as rare as many of us would like to believe. The school drug scene has not gone away, it has simply lost the front page coverage of the sixties. Suburbia is no Utopia for those who have encountered financial, sociological or even sexual encounters that are simply beyond their ability to handle.

We do not suggest that some local commission start prying into the Valley's bedrooms in a witch hunt for problems, and answers. But it is apparent that the "Community Concerns" which some activists would confine just to the financially impoverished, the incarcerated or the two percent racial minority do not take into account the fact that the problems of life and livelihood are just as evident in white, middle class America. The difference is in learning to identify the need.

Price of water

Before there is any move to "tighten up the pipeline" at the west end of this Valley, somebody should start asking questions about the oversized pipe we are already paying for at the east end of this basin.

It is something more than an analogy for the Zone 7 Water Conservation and Flood Control District. That is the agency which, some 20 years ago, was charged by the people with responsibility for importing "soft" water through the California Aqueduct system. The state sold us then, and we are still paying for, some 45,000 acre feet per year of imported water.

The cost of that water — just in annual "purchase" payments — has been around $500,000 per year. That price could double, depending on some new state factors. Additionally, Valley taxpayers have underwritten several millions of dollars in processing and transmission systems to get that water from the intake at the eastern end of the basin to consumers in these three communities.

It is that same Zone 7 board which now aspires to a powerful role in the operation and sizing of an outfall line to carry all our wastes to the Bay. There are those who insist that line should be sized to take care of little more than the Valley's present waste water discharge — something in the range of 15 million gallons per day of effluent.

The problem is that this basin is today consuming just one-third of that 46,000 acre feet of water which the state sets aside for us, and that we pay for through our Zone 7 taxing agency.

Additionally. Zone 7 acquired (through the defunct Pleasanton Township Water District) the rights to some 7000 acre feet of water in the Del Valle Reservoir, and there is another 18,000 acre feet or so held in the "safe yield pumping rights" of the Valley's three communities.

Add it all up and it means we own, one way or another, some 70,000 acre feet of water on an annual yield basis. It represents a move of considerable foresight on the part of a prior Valley generation, but it has not been without substantial cost to consumers and taxpayers.

When compared to the 1976 thinking which would freeze our "waste water discharge" to less than one fourth of that tremendous reserve of water, it makes you wonder if the far-seeing courage of yesteryear is not being lost in the timid "Status Quo at Any Price" thinking of today's so-called leaders.

There are those responsibilities we have to ourselves; there are the responsibilities we owe to the land; and there is the obligation to look to the needs of a future generation.

It is that recognition which brought America to its present level of productivity, and which made this one Valley the attractive home it is today for all of us.

Somehow that same depth of understanding does not permeate those who can think only of "the pipeline we need now, sized to serve our immediate needs." If that kind of thinking had prevailed 200 or even 20 years ago, most of us would be living in London and in Oakland.

"This petition would help poor folks on the other side of town"

Letters to the Times

Christmas caring

Editor, The Times:

This is an open letter to the many givers of the Christmas Spirit in the community, who gave to the patients of Pleasanton Convalescent Hospital.

Our hearts are really full. It was a glorious Holiday season for our patients because so many of you cared. In fact, the whole year has been far richer for the people at Pleasanton Convalescent Hospital because of this great caring-community.

The Season began with the Jaycees and their wives providing an especially beautiful tree and all it's trimmings. The excitement that was created around the tree that day carried right through the season.

When we think of all the Cubs, the Brownies, the Scouts and the Blue Birds and Campfire Girls that provided gifts, trees and carols for our patients, our heads fairly swim.

Thanks to great CCD groups and young people's groups from the Mormon, Baptist, Assembly of God, Church of Nazarene, Presbyterian, Valley Community, Evangelical Free and Valley Christian Churches that took time out to carol and provide gifts for patients that had no families: anonymous visitors who left gifts for patients. Many thanks to the Jewish Community who saw that a visiting Rabbi was called on the Jewish patients here on the first day of Chanukah, and the spiritual support of of the patients during the year, and to the many volunteers who have assisted throughout the year to make a more pleasant and meaningful life for our patients.

All of your caring and concern made the season very special for our staff. The warm glow carried into our homes and we knew the true spirit of Christmas was certainly alive.

Our thanks and appreciation to all who cared and saw that this most beautiful of all seasons was not a lonely time for our patients.

Bob & Joellen Myers
and the Staff of
Pleasanton Convalescent
Hospital

Amador photo lab

Editor, The Times:

At Amador Valley High School this spring we will be providing students with the opportunity to learn about and express themselves through the photographic medium. We are seeking assistance from the community to help us provide this experience for our students. As you probably know, public schools do not always have the financial resources to provide a quality program, and therefore we are asking for your help.

Donations of any type of photographic materials or equipment would be welcomed. We can use film, photographic paper (even out of date), trays, tanks, lenses, enlargers, easels, thermometers, print dryers and washers, and cameras (35mm, 120 or 126 instamatic). Materials for construction would be useful as well (plywood, glue, plexiglass, hardware, fiberglass, etc.). Donations of any type are always welcomed, and are tax deductible. We would be glad to place the donor's name on any item.

We would be most appreciative of any assistance, and would be happy to pick up anything you'd care to donate.

Ralph Laird
Principal

Bicentennial ball

Editor, The Times:

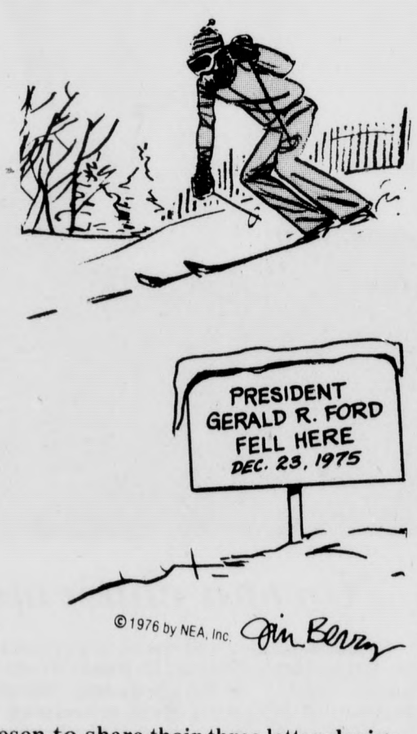
The Pleasanton Bicentennial Ball was a wonderful success.

The Bicentennial Ball subcommittee did an excellent job, but three people gave of themselves beyond the call of duty, Renee Spiliotopoulos, Judy Hanhy and Lee Mercer.

To the entire subcommittee, and everyone who attended the Bicentennial Ball, we thank you for your support of the celebration of our Nation's birthday.

In the Spirit of '76.
Ken Mercer
Chairman, Pleasanton
Bicentennial Commission

Berry's World



round the town

If you're going to celebrate a birthday, what better way than to return to the scene of that beginning?

A few million Americans feel that way about the 200th anniversary of our nation's birth, so they are making plans to head for Philadelphia or Washington or even Boston, to be where it all was at, back in 1776.

So many will be on hand for that reunion, in fact, that hotels and tourist bureaus expect the biggest crunch of people since troops from a half-dozen nations were gathered along the Delaware, wondering who to shoot next.

In this case the line of logistical support will be strung out from California to the Atlantic coast, along strips of asphalt that once served as path for the Indian, the explorer and the conqueror, a couple of hundred years ago.

This time it will set you back $200 just for gasoline to get you and the family vehicle from here to there, and back again. The people at Sunset Magazines made a study. Also learned that you can expect to lay out anywhere from $500 to $1600, for lodging and meals, family of four, round trip. What you spend once you get there is anybody's guess.

That same family of four (it's the ideal American unit) could make the trip to the east coast for about $1280, round trip by bus, including meals. Sunset figures says to figure almost double that to travel first class on the train.

It's a good thing they weren't dishing out those kind of cost estimates back in the days when I made my first journey to D.C. Old Dadeeo wouldn't have laid out that kind of cash to send one of his offspring to the moon and back.

In fact there was no cash offered whatsoever.

"I'll pack you enough food for three days travel, and you can figure out something for the rest of the way," mother advised. She wasn't trying to starve us. Just that foodstuffs in those days wouldn't keep more than three days maximum ... bread would turn green, bacon rancid, that sort of thing. Plus the fact it became damned near impossible for two kids to pack more than three days supplies on and off the train.

Number two daughter and number four son (yours truly) were to make that trip. From the prairies of Saskatchewan to the Capitol in Washington. Quite a venture.

An uncle on my mother's side who resided just outside of Washington had suggested the trip. Father agreed because it was cheaper to have us kids on the road all summer, than sitting around home eating and getting into trouble.

We were railroad people. Third Class rail fare was free. I would reach adulthood before I knew any other class.

Sister No. 2 was about 15. That put me around ten. I knew nothing whatsoever about the world beyond Saskatchewan. She thought she knew everything. It was a disastrous combination.

Sister No. 1 (the working sister) sized up our box of food and our game plan and decided something was missing.

"Here's ten dollars just in case," she advised Sister No. 2 secretly "But don't spend it until you have to."

Sister No 1 decided she would never have to. We arrived in Washington five days later with $9.50 and one very hungry ten-year-old. She would have kept the ten bucks intact except her travelling companion rebelled. It was somewhere east of Winnipeg. On a hot day in July that I recognized (from a discarded daily newspaper) as my birthday.

"I'm hungry and I'm thirsty and besides which it's my birthday!" I said, in a loud voice. I said it several times before Sister No. 2 got the message. She either had to shut me up or dump me off the blesssed train. Fortunately for you devoted readers, she chose the former course. A banana, a soft drink and a Sunday paper, all purchased from the on-board vendor, were the price of my silence. Birthdays were cheaper, then.

Our lodging problem was easily solved each evening. Simply collapse the coach seats into a horizontal platform. Made a great bed, or so Sister No. 2 informed me.

Hot meals were also available. By waiting for your turn at the small "kitchen" tucked into each and every coach. The Canadian Pacific Railroad provided these modern conveniences for their Third Class customers ... stove, wood, water. You had to supply the rest.

By borrowing a frying pan from the lady across the aisle, and an egg from the kindly couple up front, Sister and I were able to put together a fairly decent meal. And by pulling this "poor dear children" act every evening ... before a different audience each time, of course ... we managed the five-day trip very well, thank you.

Arrived at Uncle's house with a little bacon left over, as I remember.

"What on earth is that terrible smell?" Uncle demanded as we unloaded our luggage. Turned out to be the surplus bacon, five days old, and going fast. Uncle threw the stuff away. I was always afraid Father would find out, and cut back on our supplies for the next great summertime venture.

—by john edmands

Sound and Fury

Walt Hecox

Currently the top of my desk is decorated by as fine a collection of pigs as any man of my leanings in the valley can claim. I have a grey plastic pig, a friendly looking fellow and a young one from the expression on his face.

His ears are erect and the expression on his porcine features indicates he is ready for any kind of romp. A good fellow, but not really in the running for the top spot in my collection.

He stands between an aromatic fellow carved, or moulded from soap, and a large, plaster of paris pencil holder which is shaped like a large and exceptionally ugly pig's head.

The two of them are impressive, though the swine constructed from Aramis soap is a little too benevolent for my taste.

If you can stand the analogy, he looks like a pig on his way home from church.

His ears are down and somehow his face, above his blunt snout, seems downright benevolent and saintly.

Not my kind of pig at all. I am told he even smells good. But he was given to me by a sweet young lady in the spirit of jest, an act which atones for some of his sins. For that reason, if none other, he has a high priority.

The plaster of paris fellow in the center is just about as ugly as a self respecting pig should be.

His ears are spread wide and he is smiling, but somehow I get the feeling the smile is that of a porker who just kicked his owner in the face and dragged him into the smoker.

From the looks of this fellow's face human ham must taste pretty good.

He is really an excellent pig, his size dwarfing my lesser pigs to an extent where his head is larger than three others together.

Not only that, he has a hole in his head, a sizeable orifice where a fellow can put pencils, pens or quotations from Norman Mailer if he so desires.

The fellow is a real contender, I can tell you. Superior to even the little fellow next to Skeeter's photograph, a marzipan pig with beady eyes and a gilded penny in his avaricious mouth.

All in all, however, they are just pigs, porkers who have been the victims of scurrilous gossip and comparisons for years and not until recently elevated to the status of representing either policemen or men of firm and manly convictions such as this old man. Frankly, it does my heart good to know that these animals, by all odds one of the smartest of all creatures and certainly a faithful, though unwilling, servant of humanity through the years, are finally getting the recognition they deserve.

Too long pigs have been compared to cads, bounders and greedy people.

It is high time they were elevated to a more noble status by that enlightened section of society which has chosen to share their three letter designation with officers of the law and thoughtful gentlemen of my persuasion.

How can you, ladies and gentlemen, have ever insulted those brave porcines who have marched resolutely into the slaughter house in order to provide you with that noontime ham sandwich?

How could you possibly speak in anything but the most benevelent and grateful tones of those fine animals whose skin was once used to cover footballs and which to this day is used for the softest and most comfortable gloves ever created by man with nature's help?

Though a pig is, by all odds, one of the smartest animals in the world, his intelligence surpassing the horse, cow, sheep, dog, cat and canary, he has lived at peace with man through the ages, knowing all the while he would one day be hauled into the great hall roasted, feet up and with an apple in his mouth.

Truly it is hard for me to understand how it took so many years for mankind to recognize the stirling qualities of these creatures and eventually compare them with a couple of God's most noble creations, if you will forgive my lack of modesty.

Of course people frequently make mistakes. Which is why, I suppose, that happy, crackpot, prehistoric monster sits among my collection of pigs, an idiotic expression on his face and a sign across his chest which says, "They just don't make them like you any more."

Some kind soul once gave him to me for my birthday.

Now what would make anyone give me a thing like that?

Lighter Times

The definitive answer to the question "where the etc. is Livermore?" comes from Bob Hermanson of Pleasanton who saw a bumper sticker proclaiming: "Pleasanton is the gateway to Livermore."

I'm waiting for some local delicatessen to put up a sign saying "Where the hekk is Liverwurst?" Next to the salami, of course.

Pleasanton council member Roger McLain has seen many trucks with those signs that say: "This vehicle paid $1,500 worth of road taxes last year" or whatever the figure was. "I always wanted to put up a sign," said McLain, "which said I only paid a few dollars in road taxes but I don't tear up the streets, either."

Really big misquote overheard on the radio: "Now you take that Watergate burglary. It's been proven the plumbers' union did it."

If I do say so myself, I like the little sentiment expressed on the Chanukah card I sent to my friend Abe Goldberg over there at Lawrence Livermore Laboratory It said: "Words of Chanukah wisdom: Be charitable to your fellow person, let your menorah glow with love...and beware of gentiles bearing eggnog."

Today's inspirational thought comes from Soren Kierkegaard: "Life can only be understood backward, but it must be lived forward "

— by Ron McNicoll

Television Listings

Fri., Jan. 9

8:00 A.M.
5-10—Capt. Kangaroo
7-13—A.M. America
9—Yoga with Lilias
40—Speed Racer

8:30 A.M.
2—Romper Room
9—Mister Rogers
40—Dennis the Menace

9:00 A.M.
2—Big Valley
3-4—Celebrity Sweepstakes
5—Price Is Right
7—A.M. San Francisco
9—Sesame Street
10—At Nine on Ten
13—Morning Scene
40—Jack LaLanne

9:30 A.M.
3-4—Wheel of Fortune
10—Price Is Right
40—I Love Lucy

10:00 A.M.
2—Movies:
Mon: "The Mudlark"
Tues: "Fraulein"
Wed: "A Prize of Gold"
Thurs: "Bernadine"
Fri: "The Intruder"
5—Kathryn Crosby
9—Electric Company
13—Truth or Consequences
40—Movies:
Mon: "Bigger Than Life"
Tues: "Bride of Vengeance"
Wed: "Red Garters"
Thurs: "Shoot Loud, Louder ... I Don't Understand"
Fri: "Wabash Avenue"

10:30 A.M.
3-4—Hollywood Squares
5-10—Love of Life
7-13—Happy Days
44—Not For Women Only

11:00 A.M.
3—High Rollers
4—Somerset
5-10—Young and the Restless
7-13—Showoffs
36—Left, Right and Center
44—News Talk

11:30 A.M.
3-4—Magnificent Marble Machine
5-10—Search for Tomorrow
7-13—Rhyme and Reason
36—Yoga
44—New Zoo Revue

NOON
2—Courtship of Eddie's Father
3-4-5-10—News
7-13—Edge of Night
9—Woman
36—Movies:
Mon: "Frankenstein's Daughter"
Tues: "Four In a Jeep"
Wed: "Fire Over Rome"
Thurs: "Passpot to Treason"
Fri: "Planets Against Us"
40—Dick Van Dyke
44—Leave It To Beaver

12:30 P.M.
2—That Girl
3-4—Days of Our Lives
5-10—As the World Turns
7-13—All My Children
9—Yoga
40—Andy Griffith
44—Movies:
Mon: "Beware My Lovely"
Tues: "We Live Again"
Wed: "A Blueprint for Murder"
Thurs: "Mr. Peabody and the Mermaid"
Fri: "The Senator was Indiscreet"

1:00 P.M.
2—Movies:
Mon: "The Caretaker"
Tues: "The Walking Hills"
Wed: "Hell and High Water"
Thurs: "The Lavender Hill Mob"
Fri: "Night People"
7-13—Ryan's Hope
40—Movies:
Mon: "Prince of Players"
Tues: "Bitter Victory"
Wed: "My Cousin Rachel"
Thurs: "The Bramble Bush"
Fri: "The Desert Rats"

1:30 P.M.
3-4—The Doctors
5-10—Guiding Light
7-13—Let's Make A Deal

2:00 P.M.
3-4—Another World
5-10—All in the Family
7-13—$10,000 Pyramid
9—Masterpiece Theatre
36—Mike Douglas
44—Underdog

2:30 P.M.
5-10—Match Game
7—One Life to Live
13—To Tell the Truth
44—Huck and Yogi

3:00 P.M.
2—Porky & Friends
3—Movies:
Mon: "Seven Days in May"
Tues: "The Innocents"
Wed: "The Chapman Report"
Thurs: "Christopher Columbus"
Fri: "Doctor In Love"
4—Ironside
5—Tattletales
7-13—General Hospital
9—Yoga
10—Dinah!
40—Mickey Mouse Club
44—Popeye

3:30 P.M.
2—Batman
5—Mod Squad
7—Movies:
Mon: "Four Clowns"
Tues: "At War with the Army"
Wed: Vision On
Thurs: "The Road to Hong Kong"
Fri: "Where's Charley?"
13—One Life to Live
36—Movies:
Mon: "Stand In"
Tues: "They Live By Night"
Wed: "Vogues"
Thurs: "Drums In the Deep South"
Fri: "International Settlement"
40—Captain's Cartoons
44—Three Stooges

4:00 P.M.
2—Mickey Mouse Club
4—Merv Griffin
5—Dealers Choice
9—Mister Rogers
10—Mike Douglas

4:30 P.M.
2—Gilligan's Island
5—Mike Douglas
9—Sesame Street
13—Gomer Pyle

5:00 P.M.
2—Partridge Family
3—Bewitched
7—News
13—Adam-12

5:30 P.M.
2—Bewitched
3-4-7-10-13—News
9—Electric Company
36—Get Smart
44—Monkees

6:00 P.M.
2-40—Star Trek
3-4-5-7-10-13—News
9—Villa Alegre
36—Movie: "Cornered" — Walter Slezak
44—Brady Bunch

6:30 P.M.
9—Songwriters' Notebook
13—Merv Griffin
44—Adam-12

7:00 P.M.
2—Movie: "From the Terrace"
4—Truth or Consequences
5-7—News
9—Ourstory
10—Concentration
40—FBI
44—Hogan's Heroes

7:30 P.M.
3—Seven Thirty
4—Don Adams' Screen Test
5—Name That Tune
7—Mountain Expedition
9—News
10—$25,000 Pyramid

8:00 P.M.
3-4—Sanford and Son
5-10—Special: Peanuts
7-13—Barbary Coast
9—Washington Week in Review
36—Movie: "All in a Night's Work" — Dean Martin
40—Movie: "Hellfighters" — John Wayne
44—Dinah!

8:30 P.M.
3-4—Chico and the Man
9—Wall Street Week

9:00 P.M.
3-4—Rockford Files
5-10—Movie: "The Super Cops" — Ron Leibman
7-13—Special: "I Will Fight No More Forever"
9—Masterpiece Theatre

10:00 P.M.
2-40—News
3-4—Police Story
9—Nova
36—Merv Griffin
44—It Takes A Thief

11:00 P.M.
2—Bilko
3-4-5-7-9-10-13—News
40—Mod Squad
44—Mary Hartman, Mary Hartman

11:30 P.M.
2—Honeymooners
3-4—Johnny Carson
5—Movie: "Conspiracy to Kill" — Robert Conrad
7—Wide World Special
9—News
10—Movie: "That Cold Day in the Park" — Sandy Dennis
13—Ironside
36—Movie: "It's a Small World World" — Spencer Tracey
44—Movie: "Harlow" — Carol Lynley

MIDNIGHT
2—News
36-40—Movies All Night

Sat., Jan. 10

9:00 A.M.
2—Asians Now!
3-4—Land of the Lost
7-13—Adventures of Gilligan
40—Image '76

9:30 A.M.
2—Revista de la Semana
3-4—Run, Joe, Run
5-10—Scooby Doo
7-13—Groovie Goolies
36—American Religious Town Hall
40—Wally's Workshop
44—Music & the Spoken Word

10:00 A.M.
2—Football: American Bowl
3-4—Beyond the Planet of the Apes
5-10—Shazam!
7-13—Speed Buggy
36—Yoga for Health
40—Special: 8th American Bowl Game
44—Ebony Affair

10:30 A.M.
3-4—Westwind
7-13—Odd Ball Couple
36—Left, Right and Center
44—Movie: "Zero Hour" — Dana Andrews

11:00 A.M.
3—Jetsons
4—The Champions
5-10—Far Out Space Nuts
7—American Bandstand
13—Pacific Weekly
36—Movie: "Don't Give Up the Ship" — Jerry Lewis

11:30 A.M.
3—Go USA!
5-10—Ghost Busters
13—Ebony Affair

NOON
3-4—Baskeball: Louisville vs. Providence
5-10—Valley of the Dinosaurs
7—Water World

12:30 P.M.
5-10—Fat Albert
7—To Be Announced
13—Outdoorsman

1:00 P.M.
2—Movie: "Life in the Balance" — Lee Marvin
5—I Believe
10—Children's Film
7-13—Football: Hula Bowl
36—Movie: "Deadly Hunt" — Peter Lawford
40—Movie: "Santa Fe Trail" — Errol Flynn

1:30 P.M.
5—Solesvida
44—Movie: "The Astounding She Monster"

2:00 P.M.
3-4—Special: Tucson Open Golf Tournament
5—Vibrations for a New People
10—Who, What, Why, How Show

2:30 P.M.
2—Movie: "Invisible Woman"
5—Movie: "Block's Last Case" — Richard Widmark
10—Big Blue Marble

3:00 P.M.
10—Name of the Game
36—Movie: "Don't Give Up the Ship" — Jerry Lewis
44—Wrestling

3:30 P.M.
3—Bill Dance Outdoors
4—Basketball: UCLA vs. Oregon State
40—Forty Grand Ranchoree

4:00 P.M.
2—Mission: Impossible
3—Nashville on the Road
7-13—World Series of Women's Tennis
44—It Takes A Thief

4:30 P.M.
3—Good Ole Nashville Music
10-5—Sports Spectacular

5:00 P.M.
2—Hee Haw
3—Pop Goes Country
36—Buck Owens
40-44—Wild, Wild West

5:30 P.M.
3-4—News
7-13—Pro Bowler's Tour
36—Porter Wagoner

6:00 P.M.
2—Love American Style
3-4-5-10—News
36—Nashville on the Road
40—Star Trek
44—Brady Bunch

6:30 P.M.
3-5-10—News
4—30 Minutes
36—Movie: "Mr. Moto Takes a Vacation" — Peter Lorre
44—Adam-12

7:00 P.M.
2—Movie: "The Unforgiven" — Burt Lancaster
3—Hee Haw
4—Space: 1999
5—Lawrence Welk
7—Bay Scene 7
10—Lets Make A Deal
13—Space: 199940—World at War: 1944-1945
44—Hogan's Heroes

7:30 P.M.
7—Hollywood Squares
10—Match Game PM

8:00 P.M.
3-4—Emergency!
5-10—The Jeffersons
7-13—Howard Cosell
36-40—Wrestling
44—Movie: "Northern Pursuit" — Errol Flynn

8:30 P.M.
5-10—Doc

9:00 P.M.
3-4—Movie: "The Oregon Trail" — Rod Taylor
5-10—Mary Tyler Moore
7-13—S.W.A.T.
36-40—Boxing

9:30 P.M.
2—Movie: "Creature with the Atom Brain" — Richard Denning
5-10—Bob Newhart

10:00 P.M.
5-10—Carol Burnett
36—I Spy
40—Special: March of Dimes Telethon
44—Movie: "Brother Orchid" — Humphrey Bogart

11:00 P.M.
3-4-5-7-10—News
13—Sammy & Company
36—Movie: "Treasure of Pancho Villa" — Shelley Winters

11:30 P.M.
2—Movie: "It Came from Outer Space" — Barbara Rush
3-4—Saturday Night
5—Special: Miss World Beauty Pageant
10—Movie: "The Love-Ins" — James MacArthur

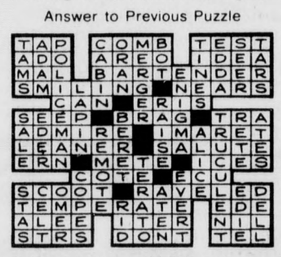
11:45 P.M.
7—Movie: "Mickey One" — Warren Beatty

An act of kindness is the shortest distance between two hearts.

CROSSWORD

At Home

Answer to Previous Puzzle



ACROSS
1 Place to sleep
4 Repasts
9 Gay play
12 Resident of (suffix)
13 Made of certain grain
14 Single thing
15 Compass point
16 Exchange
17 To dislike (Latin)
18 Large planet
20 Put more to (2 wds.)
22 Ever (poet.)
24 Wooden snow runner
25 Cut off branches
28 Nevada city
30 Pleasant
34 Soul (Fr.)
35 Masculine nickname
36 English school
37 Negate
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49 Rent
52 Moral law
56 Mischievous child
57 Greek strong man
61 Epoch
62 Seven (Roman)
63 Intended
64 Permitted
65 Guido's note
66 Impudent (slang)
67 Postal districts (ab.)

DOWN
1 Climbing stem
2 Italian volcano
3 Antlered animal
4 Maternal parents
5 Auricle
6 Mindanao native
7 Conducted
8 Go stealthily
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19 Tellurium (symbol)
21 Eat a meal
23 Adjust pitch again
24 Detection devices
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29 Boy's nickname
31 Newspaper paragraph
32 Price of
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38 Is indebted to
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46 Groups of players
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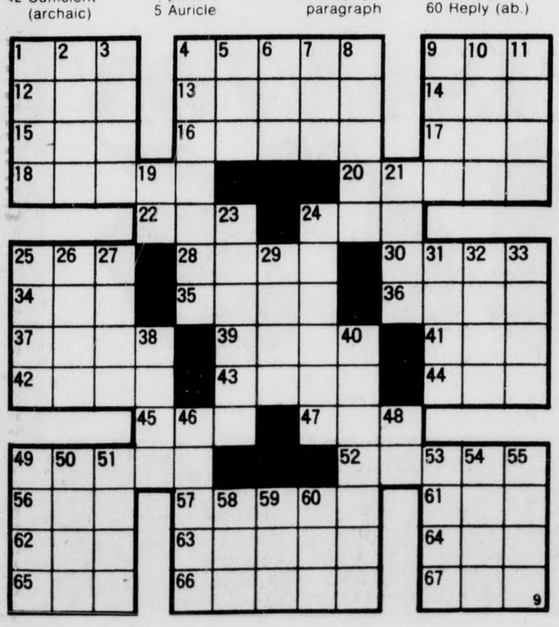
60 Reply (ab.)



WIN AT BRIDGE

Transfer use in slam bidding

NORTH (D)	9
♠ A 10 4 3	
♥ K 8	
♦ K J 10 5	
♣ A J 2	
WEST	EAST
♠ K Q J 8	♠ 9 6 5
♥ 7 2	♥ J 10 9 3
♦ 9 6 4	♦ 8
♣ K 9 7 5	♣ Q 10 8 4 3
SOUTH	
♠ 7 2	
♥ A Q 6 5 4	
♦ A Q 7 3 2	
♣ 6	

North-South vulnerable

West	North	East	South
	1 N.T.	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♦
Pass	5 ♣	Pass	6 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	

Opening lead — K ♠

By Oswald & James Jacoby

How do you use the Jacoby transfer on your way to a slam?

You start with the transfer and then bid a new suit. This new suit call is a game force. It may show a two-suit hand. It may just show a feature.

South starts with a transfer to two hearts. His next bid of three diamonds is a game force. North has just 16 points for his notrump, but if South actually has both red suits, North's hand becomes very slammish. His second rebid of three spades shows this slam interest. Without slam interest North would rebid three hearts, three notrump or four diamonds.

South merely goes to four diamonds next to confirm the fact that he really holds a heart-diamond two-suit hand.

North is really encouraged now and bids five clubs as a cue bid at the five level.

South does not know whether North likes diamonds or hearts. It does not matter to him. He jumps to six diamonds, knowing that North will go to six hearts if he likes that suit.

The slam with 16 opposite 12 is a cinch even though neither hearts nor diamonds break evenly.

Ask the Jacobys

A Florida reader wants to know what you should do with:

♠ 7 ♥ K J 9 6 4 2 ♦ Q 8 7 2 ♣ 9 6.

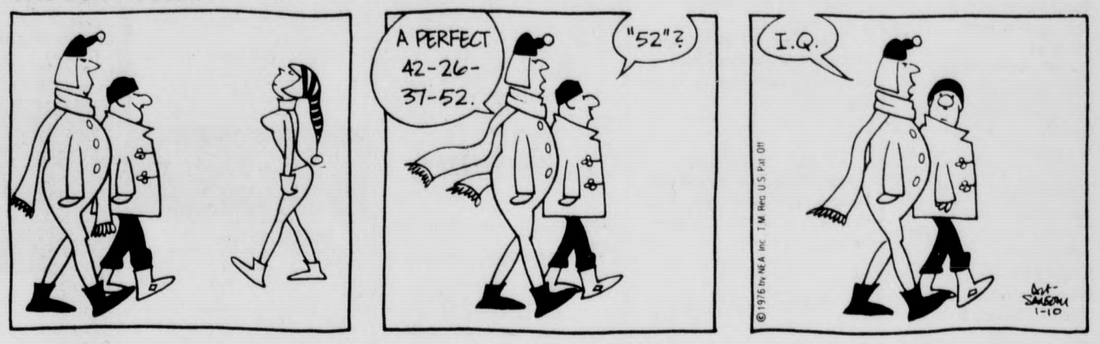
The bidding is opened to your left with one spade; your partner bids two clubs and right-hand opponent two spades.

We take a decisive stand here and either pass or bid three hearts. We do have a slight preference for the pass.

(Do you have a question for the Jacobys? Write "Ask the Jacobys" care of this newspaper. The most interesting questions will be used in this column and writers will receive copies of JACOBY MODERN.)

CIRCUS of P.T. BIMBO

THE BORN LOSER



MOOSE MILLER

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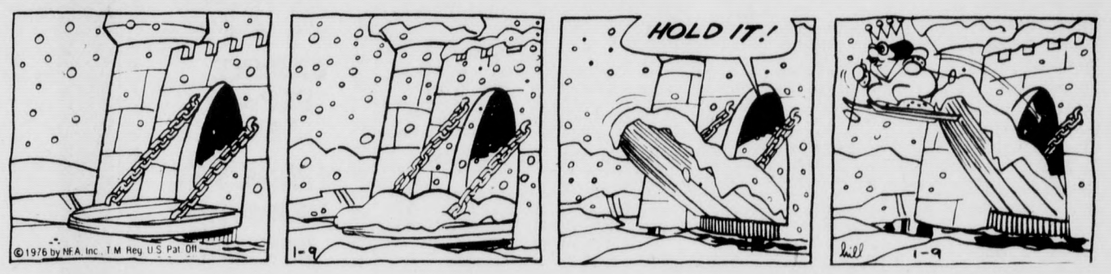
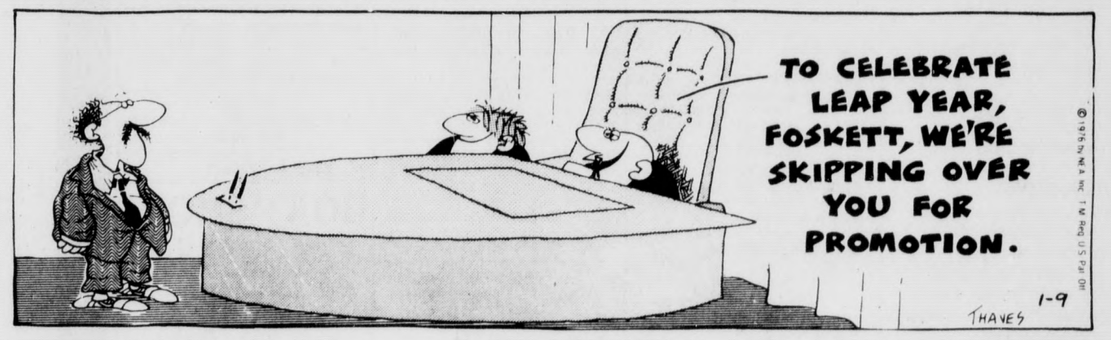
PRISCILLA'S POP

SHORT RIBS



FRANK AND ERNEST



CARNIVAL by Dick Turner

"Perhaps we'd better cut down on the soap operas, Mrs. Probe . . . you're developing 'Dishpan Eyes'!"

SIDE GLANCES by Gill Fox

"One can't be sure these days, but let's hope it lasts till her father gets it paid for!"

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All ads from out of our area of circulation.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

4. Lost & Found

FOUND: Black dog w/brown markings, male, w/red collar, 1/1, Dublin area. 828-0460.

FOUND: Brownish tan Afhgan, male, rabbies tags & brown collar. Call 846-4290.

LOST: Black Toy Poodle answering to Maurice, Lancaster Rd., Dublin. 828-2051.

LOST: White, male cat, 5 mos., vic. First & Scott St., Liv Sat. a.m., "Casper", reward. 447-4364.

BUSINESS SERVICES

9. Services Offered

ELECTRICIAN, lic. 311131, any type of electrical work, no job too small. 829-1035.

FIX-ALL
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FOUND: Tan Boxer puppy w/rhinestone collar. Vic. Portola & N. Liv. Aves. 443-2363.

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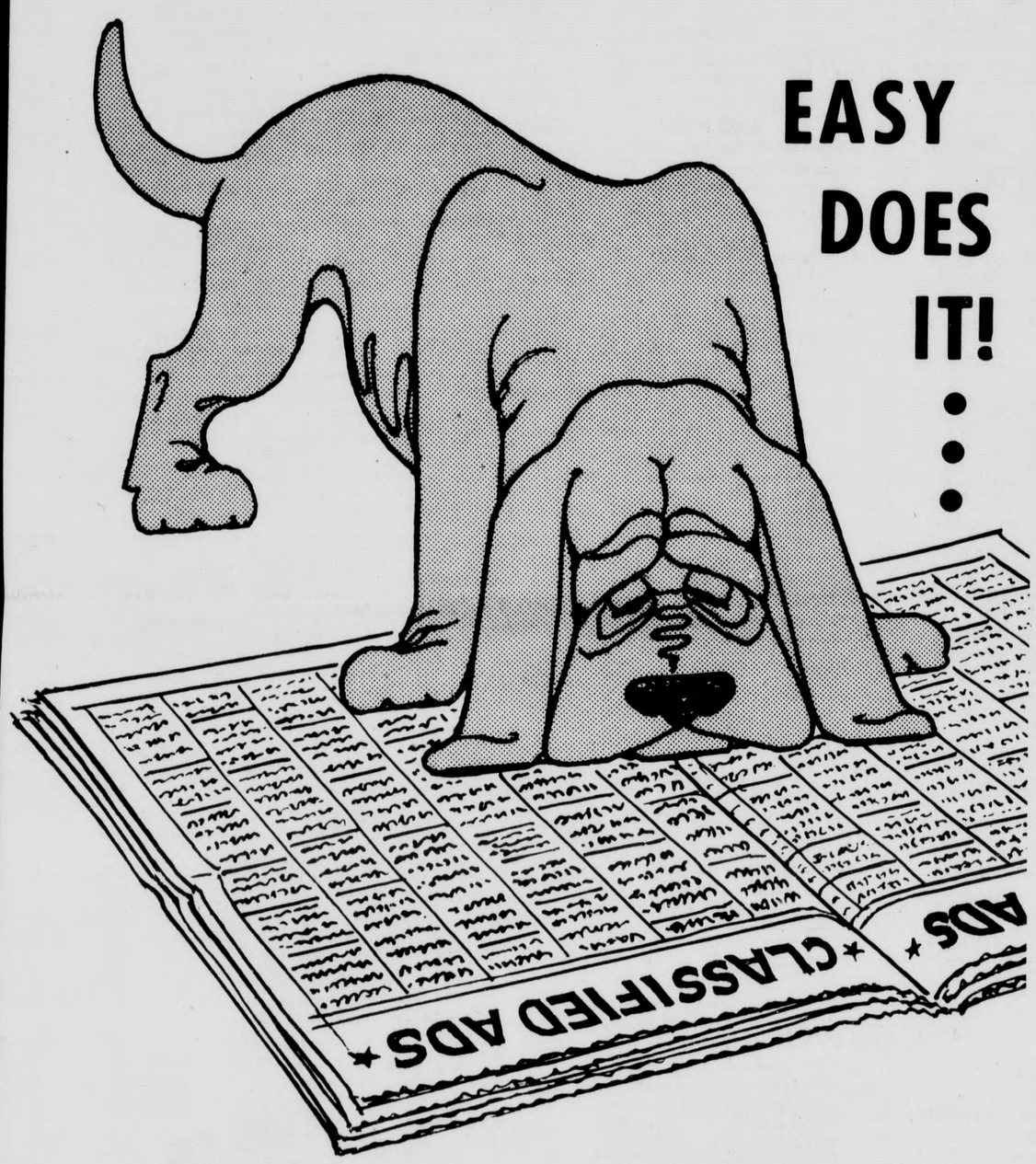

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ASSUMES $15,800 FHA LOANS, $185 per mo., at 7½% interest, 3 bdrm., 1½ bth., cent. heat & air, redwood deck, sprinklers, landscaped, side yard access, $34,900. 447-9289 aft. 5 p.m., OPEN HOUSE, 12-4 p.m., Sat. & Sun., 1539 Heather Lane.

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Neatly kept older 3 bdrm. starter home near school, park & shops. Hurry - it's only $32,500.
SUMMER IS COMING
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VACANT
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in old Granada area. Huge 3 bedroom home, new carpeting in dining room & rumpus room. Central air, redwood deck & FILTERED POOL. A great buy for the seekers of the unique. $63,000.
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Big ¼ acre lot in quiet area. Only 1 bdrm., but great possibilities. Good workshop, one car garage, fast possession. $19,500.
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HANDYMAN'S SPECIAL
This 3 bdrm. 2 bath Sunset West home needs a little T.L.C. Seller is leaving the area and wants a fast sale. SUBMIT ALL OFFERS. $34,950.
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JACKSON AREA
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OPEN SAT. 12-4
OPEN SUN. 1-4
351 EL CAMINITO
Anxious owner says "Make an offer" on this gracious 2 story model by Sunset. 4 bdrm, 2 bath + 2100 sq. ft. & no neighbors to rear.
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By owner, Dan Bury model w/2 addition built-ons, 5 yrs. old, 3 bdrm., 1½ bth., living rm., lg. kitchen, din. rm., 4th bdrm. or fam. rm., approx. 20x20, sprinklers, patio, outdoor BBQ, many extras. Cost, $48,950. 443-3049.

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just listed, the most outstanding 3 bdrm., 2 bath home with sunken rumpus, fireplace, new shag cpts., covered patio w/lots of brick work, built-in BBQ, heated & filtered above ground pool, plus much more. Only $42,950.
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SUNSET TWO STORY, 4 bdrm, 2 bath home, formal dining, separate family room, fireplace, new plush carpets, immaculate condition, landscaped and private yard. $51,950
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$32,500
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in Pleasanton Valley, choice 4 bdrm., 2 bath, 4 pc. elect. kitchen, cpts., drps., stepdown rumpus, formal dining, wood deck, quiet street, possible side access. All for $56,950, try $5,700 down.
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New listing! If you have a big family, little time for yard work, and insist on a top location, you'll love this big 5 bdrm., 3 bath air conditioned home with a view. Mom will really like the formal dining, inside laundry, clothes chute & kitchen desk. Side access. $68,500.
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LOOK ME OVER
I have everything. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, family room, central air conditioning, beautiful covered patio, large yard w/side access & much more. Hurry, call for appt. now, price at $47,500.
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MODEL HOME CONDITION
Upgraded carpets, paneling & wallpaper, 3 bdrm, 2 baths, redwood deck, landscaped like a park. $41,950.
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MORRISON BUILT. 4 bdrm., 2 bath, fireplace with gas log, customized upstairs, fish pond. Sharpen up and save dollars. $47,950.
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268 Main St., Pleasanton

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SEE THIS
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SPECIAL VALUE — Vintage Hills, 4 bdrm. with everything. Air, onyx entry, wet bar, lrg. fam. rm., side access possible. Flexible financing, featuring all terms. $56,500.
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$48,950. 3 bdrm., 2 bath, Pleasanton Valley home. Stone fireplace, elec. garage. Call for appt.

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14 ACRES WITH
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Sharp 3 bedroom, 2 bath home with stepdown family room which features large brick fireplace, stepsaver AEK, wall-to-wall carpeting, drapes & curtains, plus huge atrium summer room, and access to rear..... **$45,950**

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Almost ⅓ acre which consists of 2300 sq. ft. of home with all modern conveniences, including air conditioning, AEK, dishwasher. Gigantic rumpus room, formal dining, heated & filtered pool, wood deck, covered patio, storage shed, room for trailer & boat. Huge garden area, much more. Call today..... **$63,950**

OAK CREEK
Popular Oak Creek model, 3 good size bedrooms, 2 baths, family room, fireplace, wall-to-wall carpeting, built-in range & oven. Drapes & curtains, nice trees & mature plants. Excellent location **$45,500**

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$7,370 to ASSUME
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PICTURESQUE
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BIG LOT
There's room for just about everything (pool, side access, play yard) on this over 1/4 acre lot. Four bedroom, 2½ bath home is attractively decorated with wallpaper, upgraded carpeting, upgraded linoleum, bookcases around fireplace, and woven wood shades, cabana club membership, and many more delightful features **$54,950**

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DON'T CLEAN THIS OVEN
It takes care of itself! Self-clean oven is just one fine feature of this model - perfect 3 bdrm., 2 bath home in Pleasanton Valley. New kitchen flooring, carpeted family room, 1 year old dishwasher, sprinklers front & rear. **$49,500**

COODINATED WALLPAPER
and window covers, custom drapes, plush shag carpeting all combine to lend decorator perfection to this home. Bright & cheerful kitchen & family room, central air, excellent view — even a creek!!..... **$59,950**

BUILT-IN WET BAR
Says "Let's have a party!" You'll really enjoy entertaining friends in your charming 4 bdrm., 3 bath home with ceramic entry, carpeting throughout, and most gracious decor. Rear access, covered patio..... **$63,950**

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INVESTORS DUPLEX
Won't last, one 3 bedroom, 2 bath, one 2 bedroom, 1 bath. Modern kitchen, drapes & curtains, good location, close to schools, shopping, transportation..... **$58,950**

VIEW OF THE VALLEY
Briarhill beauty, 4 bedroom, 2 bath, formal dining, family room, inside laundry, super huge rumpus, gas fireplace, quality, drapes & curtains, modern kitchen, gorgeous view of the valley.. **$62,500**

4 BEDROOM
2 bath, stepdown family room, AEK, dishwasher, wall-to-wall carpeting, brick BBQ, located on nice court..... **$42,950**

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On sports

One flew over the goalie's net

Mike Zampa

Cross-index the patient files of a psychiatrist and a stomach doctor and the common denominator is probably a goalkeeper.

Goalies are the nut squad of soccer, the guys born a little bit goofy who get goofier as they fulfill their athletic destiny.

They are the players least likely to withstand a garlic and onion assault on the digestive system. From years of deflecting guided missles their stomach linings get worn from worry.

You wouldn't wish the position on a normal person. It's better suited to a flagpole sitter or Woody Hayes' dinner date.

STEVE HECTOR

At the first team meeting a soccer coach surveys his prospects. The ones with shorts on backwards and a whoopee cushion tucked up a sleeve are the goalkeepers.

"You've got to be weird to be a goalie," says Steve Hector, who incidentally, is one of the best, and one of the kookiest.

"If you've got balls and feet flying at your face 90 minutes a game, you go battey. You've got to be goofy to put up with it.

"Goalkeepers have bigger mouths," says Hector who does. "They do everything different — by impulse. They're more psycho than anything else."

Hector has been the All-American junior college goalkeeper for two seasons while playing at Chabot College. He yields approximately three-fourths of a goal per game. With credentials like that, Hector could be in the Hall of Fame, or the cuckoo's nest.

"The coach at San Diego State says he's never seen a goaltender who's normal," Hector announces with pride. Steve figures he's upholding tradition.

Hector, 21, is 165 pounds of gregariousness, topped off by floppy blond hair. He'll give you detailed dissertations when you're after yes or no. Steve can pop his eyes like Marty Feldman, or sneer like Ebeneezer Scrooge. His smile is constant and discomforting. It's like he doesn't realize the problems and pressures of life, especially those confronting a goalkeeper.

Actually Hector knows what he's in for on the soccer field. He was the last bastion of defense for Chabot's state championship team this past season, a team that was surprisingly inexperienced for the success it enjoyed. With young players in the backfield, Hector was called often to throw his heart, and occasionally, his face, into a save.

Hector was on stage throughout the season. As a returning All-American he was expected to be just a little bigger than life. He became a challenge for enemy forwards, and if there are two groups of people who don't mix, it's goal scorers and goal stoppers.

They engage each other in physical and psychological warfare. The edge, according to Hector, usually goes to the goalkeeper.

"Nobody's going to fight a goalie for the penalty box," says Hector defiantly. "I don't know a forward around who's not scared of a goalie. They may get a loose ball from me, but they're going to pay the price."

The psyching of an opposing shooter can be subtle work, Hector says. Given the individuality of goalkeepers, however, Hector employs tactics that are uniquely blatant.

In jams near the goal mouth Hector has been known to pull the hair on the back of opponents' legs. A sharp pinch on the side just below the ribs is effective too. Occasionally, Steve says, he'll suffer an inexplicable twitch that forces an elbow into someone's chin.

And of course the long hair favored by many soccer players is a marvelous deterrent, that is, when the goalkeeper can grab a handful.

A carefully placed stomp on the toes works sometimes. But the ultimate stopper was the move Hector put on a striker in a semi-pro game sometime back. The offensive player jumped to head a corner kick. Hector tugged on the man's shorts until they dropped to his ankles.

Steve earned a save for his ploy, and very nearly, a morals arrest.

"There wasn't a helluva lot the referee could do though," Hector recalls. "He didn't even see the play." What about the striker whose virtue had been compromised? "He was as red as could be," Hector smiled.

Hector's career was forged from meager beginnings. He was an adequate goalie at Amador Valley High School, but not much more. He sat out of soccer for one year after graduating, instead working on his own whenever there were kids around to rifle shots at a net.

If you're too normal, Hector says, you're liable to think about the dangers of onrushing players and shots. It creates a loss of confidence.

"There are too many goalkeepers around who don't have the confidence," Hector claims "That's why they lose games. If you're not confident you can catch a ball over your head, you won't. If you're not confident you can stop a ball at 100 miles per hour, you'll duck."

Only if you're normal.

Mats outwrestle Pokes

Granada High School, using early and late pins held on to beat visiting Livermore 33-23 in EBAL wrestling action last night.

Felix Lopez, Roy Davis, Mike Tearney, and Ron Freeman all pinned their opponents as the Matadors came back from a 21-12 deficit to win the match.

Granada jumped out quickly with Lopez and Davis recording their pins in the 95 and 103 classes respectively but Livermore came back to win the next six divisions, one a pin by Mike Lewis in the 145-pound class.

After a tie Granada then came on to win the next four matches with Tearney sewing up the victory with his pin in the 154-pound class in 1.45 of the 1st round over Jeff Burke.

The contest did go down to the last match but Freeman recorded his pin in the heavyweight class over Cowboy Gary Tennyson.

In other opening EBAL action last night Dublin topped San Ramon 44-30 and Amador Valley dumped Monte Vista 42-19.

Steve Potts got Amador Valley off to a excellent start with an impressive first-round pin. Other Dons with pins included Mike Seeney in the 122-pound class, and Dave Dalheim in the 135-pound division.

Monte Vista was paced by Mike Weinshelbaum with a pin in the 193-pound division and Ray Pepi with a thrilling 6-5 win in the 114-pound class.

Amador Valley 42, Monte Vista 19

97- S. Potts, AV, p. Fredrickson, MV, 1.30 of 1st round; **105**- Kean, AV, by forfeit; **114**- Pepi, MV, d. Campiotti, AV, 6-5; **122**- Sweeney, AV, p. J. Howe, MV, .58 of 3rd; **129**- Spina, MV, p. D. Potts, AV, .56 of 3rd; **135**- Dalheim, AV, p. Oldroyd, MV, 1.22 of 3rd; **140**- Tjan, MV, d. Saulmon, AV, 19-12; **147**- Vivatson, MV, d. Atkinson, AV, 5-4; **156**- Collie, AV, by forefit; **167**- Billingsley, MV, d. Hoff, AV, 14-5; **177**- Larson, AV, won by disqualification of Cockerton, MV; 1.30 of 3rd; **193**- Weinshelbaum MV, d. LaFever, AV, 7-6; **Hvt**- Mirto, AV, p. D. Howe, MV, .52 of 1st. MV penalized 2 team points.

Dublin 44, San Ramon 30

97- Kallman, D, p. Erickson, SR, 1.41; of 2nd; **103**- Riggs, D, won by forefit over Sitts, SR: **112**- Ramos, SR, p. Yo, D, 1.30 of 2nd; **120**- Martinez, D, p. Cordoza, SR, 1.53 of 1st; **127**- Cole, D, p. Finerty, SR, .46 of 1st; **133**- Arrighi, SR, d. Burton, D, 9-0; **138**- Lameroux, SR, won by forefit; **145**- Holcomb, D, p. Erikson, SR, .29 of 2nd; **154**- Voegli, SR, p. Kennedy, D, 1. of 2nd; **165**- (tie between Howell. p, and Schuman, SR, 9-9; **175**- Niederholzen, SR, won by forefit over Dugan, D; **191**- Hellinga, D, won by forefit; **Hvt**- Bawden, SR, p. Alcantra, D, 37 of 2nd period.

Granada 33, Livermore 23

95- Lopez, G, p. Maier, L, 1.07 of 1st; **103**- Davis, G, p. Naegle, L, 1.33 of 2nd; **112**- Fuller, L, d. Nadeau, G, 1-0; **120**- Payne, L, d. Stoner, G, 3-1; **127**- Piazza, L, d. Compton, G, 5-1; **135**- Jenkins, L, d Whetstone, G, 5-0; **138**- Newton, L, d. Lopez, G, 8-2; **145**- Lewis, L, p. Laslin, G, 1.22 of 3rd; **154**- Hampton, L, and Rychnowsky, G, tie, 8-8; **165**- Dixon, G. d. Wilson, L, 9-3; **175**- Jaeger, G, d. Farfan, L, 9-0; **191**- Tearney, G, p. Burke, L, 1.54 of 1st; **Hvt**- Freeman, G, p. Tennyson, L, .50 of 2nd.

Faceless in crowd

Amador Valley's Joe Correia squirts ball past Livermore defender in EBAL soccer action Tuesday. Correia was one of few bright spots for vanquished Dons, who play California at home today. Game time is 3 p.m. Joining Correia will be striped shirts Casey Clark and Keith Clay. Livermore is home for Monte Vista this afternoon, while Dublin travels to San Ramon, and Granada faces Foothill in Pleasanton.

Cal ready for Amador

Tonight's EBAL basketball game between host California and Amador will match one team with a winning tradition against another which hopes to build a winning one.

Amador, of course, is the team with the winning tradition. The Dons have won the EBAL crown several times and have gone on to the Tournament of Champions in Oakland. Last season Amador won the consolation title at the TOC.

However, things are looking up for California. The Grizzlies stunned Dublin 68-57 Tuesday night in the EBAL opener and hope to build their league record to 2-0 with a win tonight at 8.

"We feel we have a chance to win the game if we play good," Grizzly mentor Bill Herrera said yesterday. "The Dons have a really fine team so we'll have to play really well but we are capable of doing so."

Herrera feels the key to tonight's game may be how well the Grizzlies react to Amador's press.

"We haven't faced many teams with their kind of press this season but when we have we have done okay. I also think the rebounding battle will be important," he said.

If that is the case then the Grizzlies could give the Dons a really tough time. In the win over Dublin the Grizzlies picked off 47 rebounds including 15 in the crucial third quarter when California built up a big lead.

Leading the way for California was 6-5 senior center Byron Steward with 18 rebounds in addition to 16 points.

"Byron is only in his second year of high school basketball," Herrera emphasized. "He has really improved this season. He shoots well and is a really good jumper."

The other members of the California starting line-up include forwards Keith Carlson (6-2) and Rick Lackey (6-1) and guards Craig Cline (5-10) and Larry Walters (5-10). Lackey is a senior and the rest are juniors.

Herrera admits he was not too surprised with the Grizzly win over Dublin.

"I was confident we could win," he admitted. "All of our players had to play well and they did."

In other EBAL action tonight league favorite Granada hosts Foothill, Livermore travels to Monte Vista and San Ramon plays at Dublin.

Granada opened EBAL play Tuesday with a hard-fought 45-38 victory over San Ramon. Livermore suffered a slight 50-48 upset at the hands of Amador and Monte Vista ran over Foothill, 64-48.

— Gary Brown

Sports Briefs

Bowling tourney nears end

The Livermore Jaycee Junior-Adult bowling tournament winds up this weekend at Granada Bowl.

Youngsters ages 18 - under, and their adult partners, may still register to compete. Cost is $2.50 for kids, $3.50 for adults.

No average is required. For information, call 447-5600.

Pokes star

Livermore High School track stars Boyd Tarin and Paula Ng grabbed first places in the high school division at the College of San Mateo All-Comers meet Saturday.

Tarin captured the two-mile with a speedy clocking of 9.42.4. This time is especially impressive when one takes into consideration the cold January weather Tarin was running in.

Ng, one of the top prep female sprinters in the East Bay, captured the 220-yard dash in a fast 25.2. This time is as fast as many junior varsity performers in the boy's division.

The College of San Mateo holds these all-comers meets each Saturday during the winter. Both Tarin and Ng as considered to be contenders for the East Bay Athletic League titles in their respective races.

Times Sports

MIKE ZAMPA, editor

Mike Thut paces keglers

Mike Thut and Larry Butterfield staged one of the better battles of the winter bowling season last week, producing some of the season's highest scores at Granada Bowl.

Thut rolled a 667 three-game series with a high game of 237. Butterfield posted a 697 with a 245 single best.

Sharon Baxter swelled a 147 average by rolling a 237 game, while Tom Craine posted a 254 Crane also had a 629 series.

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Reno — Bill Theis, 200-565; Ellen Theis, 207-537

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Calamity Janes — Lylas Kray, 189-538; Phyllis Nagengast, 161-468

His and Hers — Jack Turner, 206-593; Joan Graham, 175-491

Women's Invitational — Carol Casella, 210-579; Mamie Gunter, 208-579

Early Owls — Betty Hansen, 210-568; Mary Ann pavis, 186-507

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